

Hunting and Trapping

Emergency Order

Under the Authority of AS 16.05.060

Alaska Department
of Fish and Game

Emergency Order No. 02-02-05

Issued at Cordova, Alaska
January 11, 2005

Effective Date: 11:59 p.m.
January 12, 2005

Expiration Date: June 30, 2005
unless superseded by
subsequent emergency order

EXPLANATION:

This emergency order closes the State of Alaska resident and nonresident mountain goat registration permit hunt RG230 (McKinley-Saddlebag) in Game Management Unit 6(C). Mountain goat hunting regulations in all other portions of Game Management Unit 6 are not affected by this emergency order.

REGULATION:

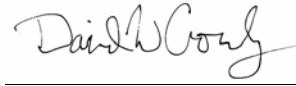
Therefore, the following regulations in 5AAC 85.040(a)(2), **Hunting Seasons and Bag Limits for Goat**, are superseded by this emergency order and the following provisions are effective:

Units and Bag Limits	Resident Open Season (Subsistence and General Hunts)	Nonresident Open Season
(2)		
Unit 6(C), Hunt RG230: specifically, that portion of Unit 6(C) east of Sheridan Glacier and the main channel of Glacier River, and north of the Copper River Highway.	Sep. 15 – Jan. 12	Sep. 15 – Jan. 12

1 goat by registration permit only.

All other mountain goat hunting regulations in Unit 6 are not affected by this emergency order

Kevin Duffy
Commissioner



By delegation to:

David W. Crowley
Area Wildlife Biologist

JUSTIFICATION:

Aerial surveys completed during August 2004 yielded a count of 140 goats in registration permit area RG230. Maximum allowable harvest this year under the State of Alaska hunt was set at 6 goats. Reported harvest is now 4 billies and 1 nanny. Any additional take could harm stability of the population.